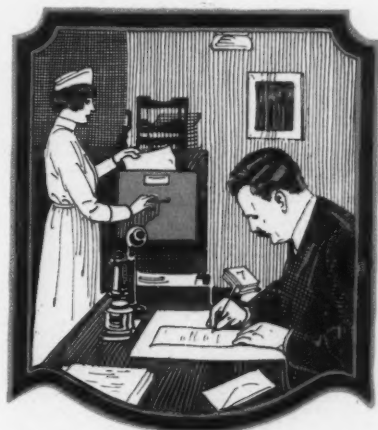


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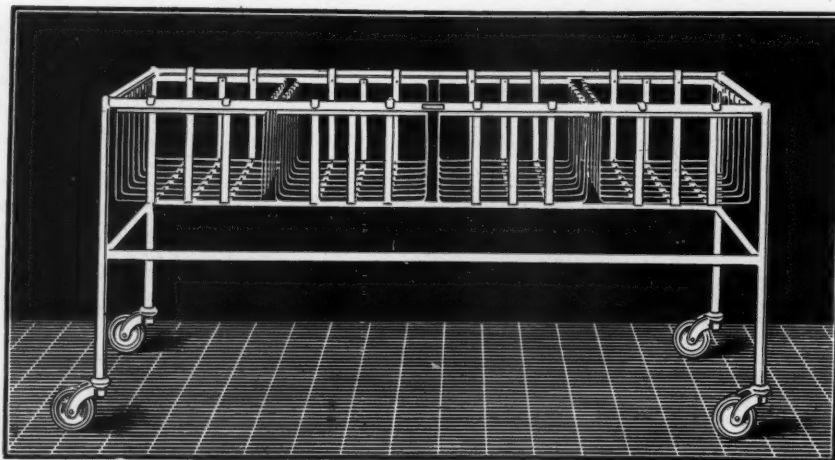
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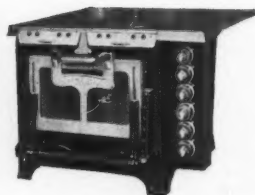
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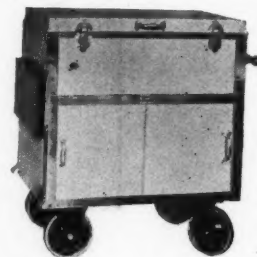
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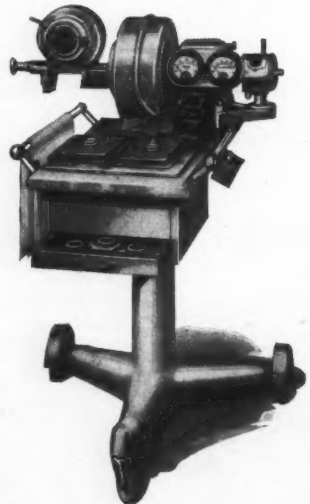
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The Need of Trained Attendants

As Dr. George S. Young, President of the Ontario Medical Association, emphasized at their recent convention, the nursing fees charged by graduate nurses, while undoubtedly no higher than circumstances warrant, are yet beyond the means of many families who are as a consequence deprived of proper care during illness.

The experiment of training attendants to supplement the work of graduate nurses has worked out very satisfactorily in many instances and the scope of this work can unquestionably be enlarged.

In the United States, in 1920, there were 300,000 nurses, male and female, and slightly more than half were below the standard of the graduate nurse. The "practical nurse" is also well known in this

country. A course of training instituted by some of our better equipped hospitals could easily result in increasing the efficiency as well as the number of this class of nurses.

It is not expected that such a solution would cover the whole problem of nursing the sick, but it will make easier the care of the less acute cases, and especially in rural communities where nursing service is almost always at a premium.



A Camp for Drug Addicts

A very laudable decision has been reached by the Ontario Government in regard to the problem presented by the narcotic drug addict.

The drug victim has been recognized as a very serious menace to the success of any policy of reforming prisoners in Provincial institutions, and the environment, as well as the facilities for the most efficient treatment of the patient have been lacking.

While drug addicts have in recent years been segregated in special wards at Burwash Reformatory, the comparative isolation has been found ineffective, and it is agreed that the only plan is to provide an institution solely for their treatment.

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If the situation's puzzlin'
And the prospect's awful grim,
If perplexities keep pressin'
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"Open Door" Hospitals Favored

That the trend of opinion is becoming more and more strongly in favor of the "Open Door" Hospital policy as the requirements of the situation become better understood by those interested in the most successful method of managing a modern and up-to-date hospital, is shown very conclusively by Dr. Homer F. Sanger, in an article entitled "Hospital Facilities and the Medical Profession," in the "Journal of the American Medical Association" recently.

Dr. Sanger, in his opening paragraph, stated "The growth of hospitals in America has been greater in quantity and in capacity than it has in effectiveness. Hospitals have been built by certain groups in communities—and oftentimes for certain groups—rather than by and for the whole community." His research was conducted along statistical lines as follows:—

Ownership or control of hospitals in relation to the "Open Door" policy:—

Independent Hospital Associations—Open door policy, 72 per cent; closed, 28 per cent.

Individual and Partnership—Open door policy, 77 per cent.; closed, 23 per cent.

Church Hospitals—Open door policy, 61 per cent.; closed, 39 per cent.

City Hospitals—Open door policy, 82 per cent.; closed, 18 per cent.

This investigation, conducted by the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals, embraced all of the States of the Union from east to west, and from north to south, alphabetically, from Alabama to Wyoming. The statistics quoted were derived from facts over this wide area.

Among other questions asked was: "What is your policy regarding the use of the hospital by physicians not on either the attending or consulting staffs"? The question was answered by 2,867 General Hospitals as follows: Open door policy, 1,995; closed, 872.

Among the characteristic answers of the open door policy hospitals were: All physicians welcome. All legitimate doctors admitted. All have same privilege. All ethical physicians. All accredited physicians.

In the words of this article, "Not only are hospitals restricted by the groups that build and support them, but also, sometimes with good reasons, by the physician or group of physicians who may control the professional policy of the hospital.

"Liberality on the part of agencies that are building and maintaining hospitals is increasing for the reason most frequently assigned that they need the support of the community. A growing liberality on the part of the staffs of hospitals toward other physicians is made possible by the increasing number of physicians who have been trained in hospital methods."

To sound out the present trend of sentiment a separate tabulation was made of the general hospitals that have been established during the last five years; the results are as follows: Of the 455 hospitals that were established in the five year period 378 maintain the open policy and only 77 closed, a ratio of 5 to 1 as compared with a ratio of 2 to 1 for the period before the year 1920.

In fact, the 100 general hospitals that were opened in the year 1924 show seven open door policy to one closed. The tendency, therefore, is rapidly toward the establishing of more hospitals with open staffs. In the words of Dr. S. S. Goldwater, director Mount Sinai Hospital, New York City, "The key to nearly everything that makes for efficient medical practice to-day is in the hands of the hospitals. Their duty is plain—they must open wide the door of opportunity, so that the entire medical profession may enter in, for the fruits of medical progress belong of right to the many, not to the few."

Public Health Association Elects Officers

Dr. G. Porter, of the University of Toronto, was elected President of the Canadian Public Health Association at the conference in Montreal on June 9th.

Other officers elected were: Hon. President, Dr. Godfrey, Minister of Health for Ontario; Vice-President, Dr. D. A. Clark, Assistant Deputy Minister of Health, Federal Department of Health, Ottawa; Second Vice-President, Miss F. M. Shaw, Montreal; Secretary, Dr. J. T. Phair, Toronto; Treasurer, Dr. H. C. Cruikshanks, Toronto.

The afternoon session was taken up with the papers of public health nursing by Miss F. Emory, Department of Public Health Nursing, Toronto, and Miss H. Chagnon, Montreal, and the election of officers.

As a remedy for the mortality among illegitimate children, the association urged that a law be enforced similar to that in Baltimore, where the mother is enforced to nurse the baby for a period of not less than six months. It was also urged that the existing law in Quebec, forcing the father to share in the expenses for the mother and the child be rigorously enforced.

The next annual meeting of the association will take place in Toronto in the Spring of 1926.

Toronto General Known as Model Institution

"Toronto is one of the safest cities in America in which to be put to sleep for an operation," declared Dr. F. H. McMechan, Secretary General of the Associated Anaesthetists of the United States and Canada, who was in Toronto recently. "Practically every hospital in Toronto has exceptional anaesthetic service by highly qualified men, and this city compares very favorably in this respect with such larger places as New York, for example.

"One feature of Toronto hospitals that appeals to me is that it makes little or no difference whether the patient is a pauper or a millionaire—the same skill and assurance of safety are given to all," said Dr. McMechan. "Furthermore, your University here is one of the few institutions which, through its excellent laboratory training, prepares the future doctor so efficiently that he takes up his work admirably equipped for human service. Our Association of Anaesthetists in the United States makes constant reference to your teaching hospital here, the Toronto General, as a model institution of its kind."

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The new anesthesia is not twilight sleep and is without toxic effect. It consists simply of the use of morphine in a solution of epsom salts, which prolongs and increases the morphine effect, thereby reducing the pains to a minimum. The mother dozes off in a semi-conscious state, from which she can be aroused at any time to obey instructions given by the doctor. Labor continues freely inasmuch as the mother does not feel and so does not fight the pains.

The simplicity of the treatment, its freedom from any after effect and the fact that it may be administered without special equipment should eventually bring it within the reach of women throughout the entire world. No woman for whom this anesthesia is recommended should be denied it, whether private or free patient. Because of the close and extended supervision required, it costs more to administer, but we are confident that our friends will come forward to provide the necessary funds.—The Bulletin, New York Nursery and Child's Hospital.



TYPICAL 8-BED WARD

Salvation Army Opens Extension

Toronto.—The extension of the Salvation Army Women's Hospital on Bloor Street East is to be officially opened at a ceremony to be held June 30th. The hospital, which has been carrying on its welfare work for 18 years, has recently undergone considerable alterations, and will have accommodation for 55 patients, under the direction of Matron Staff-Captain Clara Ball.



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As the visitors arrived they were greeted by Lyman Henderson, President of the Toronto branch of the Red Cross; Mrs. W. L. Grant, Mrs. John Turnbull, Miss Joan Arnoldi and Miss Elizabeth McEachren, Matron of the hospital. While soldiers and soldiers' friends, including the members of the Red Cross, D. S. C. R., Sportsmen's Patriotic Association, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, and other organizations, mingled happily, Mr. Henderson formally welcomed the guests, and also officially greeted the boys who came one week ago. In reviewing the brief history of the hospital, which was opened last year, he stated that 72 patients enjoyed a holiday during the two months which it was open. He also expressed appreciation for the action of the Ontario Red Cross in the matter of making the lodge a possibility, a feat which was beyond the power of the Toronto branch. This year, it is hoped, 200 boys will share in the privileges of the hospital.

"I hope some day to see the building much larger and the grounds put in shape by the City of Toronto," declared Noel Marshall, who spoke on behalf of the Ontario branch of the Red Cross. The recently elected President of the National Chapter, I.O.D.E., Miss R. M. Church, in a simple but heartfelt little speech, expressed her belief that the untiring devotion of every member of the Order is vouchsafed Canada's wounded men. A brief message from the D.S.C.R. was brought by Gordon Morrison, who thanked those responsible for the hospital on behalf of the soldiers.

Red Cross to Have Building at Philadelphia World's Fair

Honorable John Barton Payne, National President of the American Red Cross, has transmitted to the officials of the Sesquicentennial International Exposition, which will be held in Philadelphia in 1926 in celebration of the 150th anniversary of American Independence, the offer of the Red Cross to erect a building and assemble an exhibit.

The Sesquicentennial Exhibition Association, the body of leading Philadelphia citizens which is preparing the Philadelphia World's Fair, has accepted the offer and a site will be selected as soon as possible. The site will be in the Exposition Grounds, at League Island Park, the city owned property of 700 acres in southern Philadelphia, on which the Exposition is beginning to rise.

The offer was submitted to the Executive Committee of the Sesquicentennial Association at its

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meeting on June 4, in the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia, by H. W. Smith, Executive Secretary of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter of the Red Cross, who had been delegated to do so by President Payne.

Mr. Smith had previously been in conference with Ernest T. Trigg, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Sesqui body. He stated that the building will be of a permanent nature construction and in the form of a cross which is the Red Cross' insignia.

In the building there will be displayed an historical exhibit of a Red Cross nature and a display of the modern work of the Red Cross. A special display will relate to the world of the organization in war time, particularly in the world war. One wing of the building will be fitted up as an emergency hospital, to take care of cases developing on the grounds during the Exposition. The site will be selected by a committee from the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter, which will visit the Exposition Grounds with Sesqui officials.

Will Show Finland Work of Ontario Hospitals

Hospital work in Canada will be fully set forth at the International Convention of Nurses, to take place this year in Finland. Miss E. M. McKee, Superintendent of the Brantford Hospital, was appointed convener of and representative for an exhibit of teaching methods in the schools of nursing in Canada, under the auspices of the Canadian Nurses' Association, Educational Section.

There was sent recently to Miss M. Hursey, Dominion Convener, at Montreal, a collection mounted in book form making an excellent display of the following hospitals: Toronto General, St. Michael's, Toronto; Western, Toronto; Riverdale Isolation, Toronto; Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto; the Department of the Inspector of Training Schools for Ontario, Toronto; University of Toronto Department of Public Health Nursing Service; Toronto Hospital for Consumptives, Weston; Ontario Hospital, Whitby; Belleville General; Pembroke General; Chatham Public; Welland County General; Hamilton General; Victoria, London; University of Western Ontario; Faculty of Public Health, London; McKellar General, Fort William, and Brantford General.

Making Progress With Plans

Vancouver: Plans for the new \$250,000 infectious diseases hospital to be erected on Twelfth Avenue, south of the Vancouver General Hospital, will be ready for calling for tenders in about two months, A. J. Bird, city building inspector, reported to the Civic Health Committee on June 1st.

The aldermen decided that the building should be designed to accommodate as many cubicles as possible in preference to private wards. It is proposed to call for alternative tenders for two or three storeys, the third storey to be fitted up later when funds are available.

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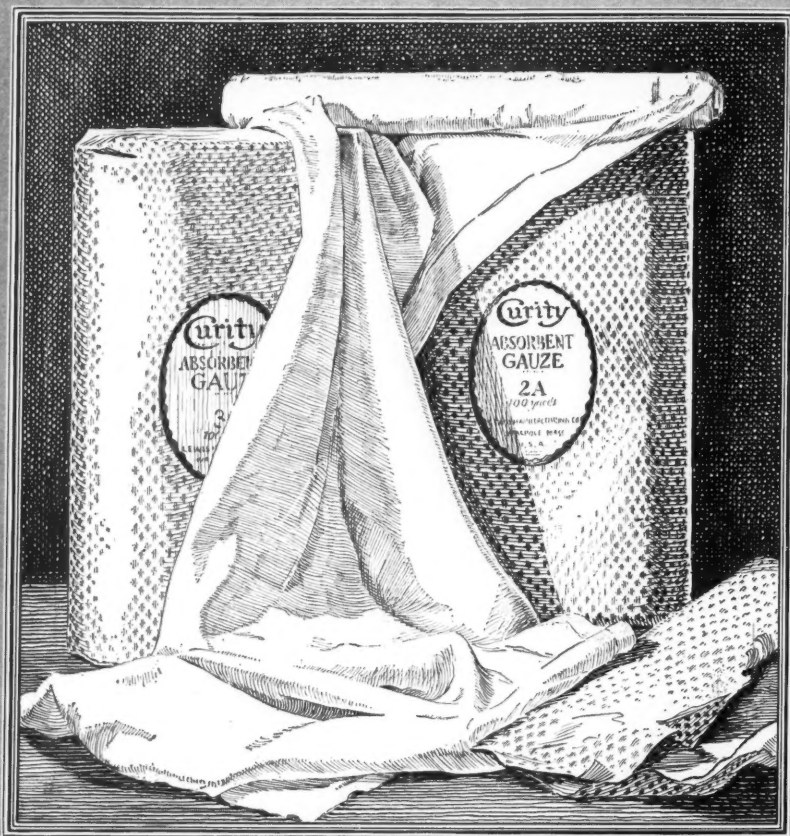
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Private Hospitals Require License

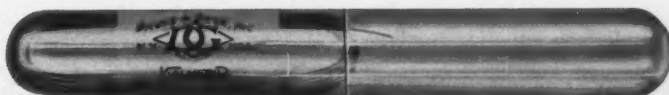
Applications for license are being received by the public health department from private hospitals throughout the Province of Alberta. Under the new act passed by the last legislature, all such establishments are required to register with the government and to be licensed as either medical and surgical hospitals or maternity homes and baby shelters.

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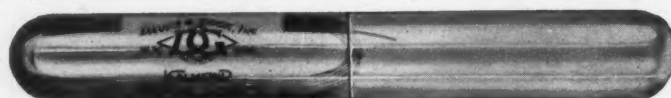
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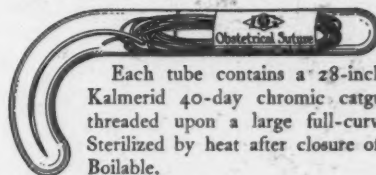
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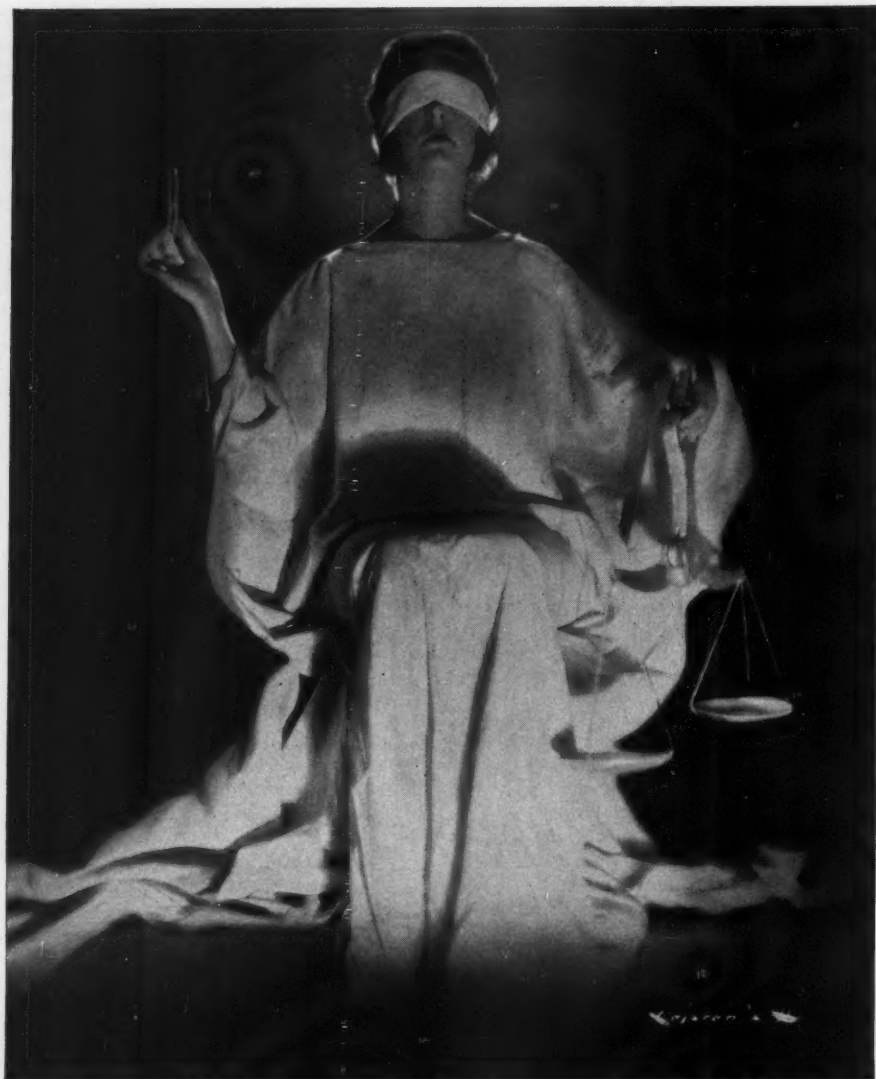
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Social Workers Suggest Clinic for Juvenile Cases

At a conference arranged by the Federation for Community Service, at which were present specialists in psychology, psychiatry, medicine, social service, courts, public health and other departments connected with the welfare of children and youths in Toronto who find their way into institutions, the suggestion of a general clinic for social workers was discussed.

After many phases of the question were discussed and descriptions given of what is being done in Boston and New York among leaders in this study, it was unanimously agreed that the need for such a clinic here was apparent. Dr. C. B. Farrar, director of the new reception hospital, said that when the programme of the institution of which he is in charge is finally in operation he would like to devote a large part of his time to the study of children instead of adults. He thought that if problems could be solved in connection with youth there would not be so much for the public to worry about with respect to age.

Dr. E. A. Bott, Department of Psychology, University of Toronto; Miss Loudon, of the Hospital for Sick Children; Dr. Hastings, M.O.H., and R. E. Mills, director of Children's Aid Society, also spoke.

Convention of Psychiatrists Held in Guelph

The Psychiatrists' Convention of the Ontario Medical Association was held on June 10th at the Homewood Sanitarium, with over a hundred prominent psychiatrists present from all parts of the Province. The large gathering assembled at the institution and proceeded to the Ontario Reformatory, where they were shown through the various departments of the "farm" by Superintendent C. F. Neelands, afterwards remaining for lunch in the staff dining hall. Returning to the Homewood the delegates went into session.

During the afternoon interesting papers were read by Dr. A. McCausland, of the Homewood Sanitarium, who spoke on "Present Day Treatment of Mental Disorders"; Dr. Norman Wallace, physician of the Ontario Reformatory, who dealt with "Interesting Facts Concerning Insane Criminals in Ontario"; Dr. G. McLarty, of Toronto, on "Alcoholic Psychoses", and Dr. Harvey Clare, Superintendent of the Homewood Sanitarium, who delivered a paper on "Manic Depressive Psychoses." Discussions were led on the above subjects by Dr. Baugh, of Brockville; Dr. W. M. English, Hamilton; Dr. Robert Armour, Toronto, and Dr. Ed. Ryan, Rockwood Hospital, Kingston.

Tenders for Hospital Extension

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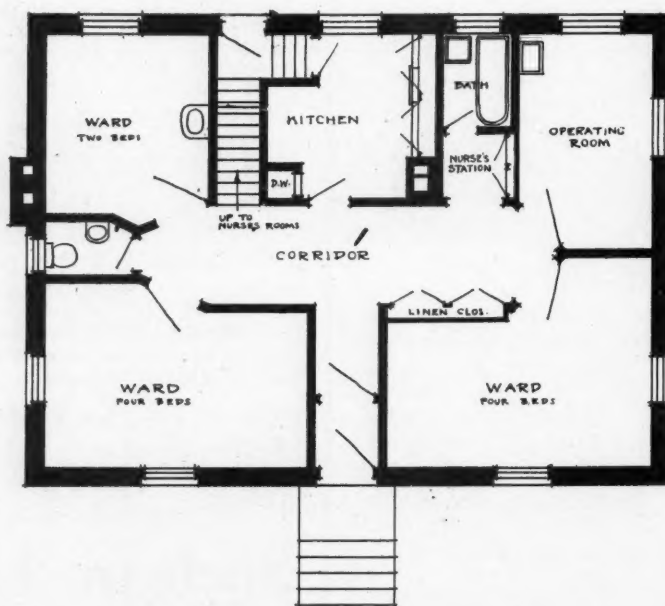
The Windows: As in any other building, the windows should be designed to admit light and air in most convenient and comfortable manner. For this reason the mistakes one sees so often are the more surprising. Generally speaking, there are but two types of windows in common use: (a) Casements, side hinged, opening in or out; (b) double-hung, two-sash, one sliding up and the other down.

There are a number of objections to casements for use in hospitals. The chief difficulty is avoiding draughts and screening. The double-hung windows are much more desirable. The upper and lower sash should be the same size or nearly so in order that the maximum amount of opening may be obtained. The windows should be placed as close to ceiling as possible so that the warm air in room may be exhausted by pulling down top sash. When ceilings are very high, hinged transom sash are sometimes used. They should either be hinged at bottom, swing in at top or hinged at top swinging out at bottom. In order to avoid difficulties with screens, the former are preferable. Transoms should not be used except where there is some very good reason for having them. The simplest thing, particularly in windows, is always the best. A detail section through an excellent type of double-hung window for use in wards, is shown. Note particularly the sill with board to allow lower sash to be raised a few inches without admitting air at bottom. The fresh air coming in at meeting rail of sash. Note also window shade holders for fastening shades to upper sash so that when upper sash is lowered the top of shade is lowered also allowing passage of air without disturbing shade.

In Solariums a different type of window is needed. Here the maximum amount of opening is required. Double-hung windows which can only be opened half are therefore at a disadvantage. Casements give the maximum opening but are in the way, if opening in, and interfere with fly screens when opened out. There are a number of special types of patented windows allowing a series of sash to slide to the side. They are best but—be sure they are capable of being closed after being left open during a sleet or snowstorm. There are some more suitable for Florida than Canada. Best to take your Architect's decision on this point rather than the salesman's. These patented windows are, of course, more expensive than casements. If restricted by funds use casements but use good substantial hardware and do not forget to allow for fly screens.

Storm Sash and Screens: Like punishment fitting the crime, they must fit the type of window. For double-hung a storm sash or screen the full size of opening is the simplest. The wood frame for these can be made the same thickness and thus fit the same rebate in frame. Hardware is now made by which storm sash and screens are both hung at top. The storm sash can thus be pushed out at bottom for ventilation and if desired fastened on adjusters obtained for this purpose. Of course there are all sorts of other arrangements but this seems to be the most satisfactory and is quite inexpensive. Sliding panes and other ventilating arrangements in storm sash fastened rigidly in place are not practical.

As for screens the least touched the better. For this reason fixed



Outpost Hospital for Red Cross at Englehart, Ont.

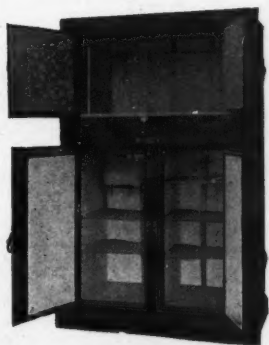
The contract has been awarded and construction started on the new ten-bed outpost building for the Canadian Red Cross Society at Englehart. The building is to be constructed with hollow tile walls with brick veneer, and will cost about \$14,000. Hot water heating is to be installed. Although the building is small it is planned to provide all facilities and accommodation necessary to carry on this very essential work in the district of which Englehart is the centre.

screens full size of opening are to be recommended. There are several different materials in common use for window screening. Copper is undoubtedly the best. Monel metal and nickel of good quality is no more durable but looks better and is more expensive. The black japanned window screening is the least expensive and if copper is too expensive use it by all means. It has to be looked after, however, but if thoroughly cleaned and painted when they are taken off in the autumn, should last for at least ten years. There is a galvanized window screening, but judging from my own experience, I would not recommend it.

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To Have New Hospital

Salmon Arm, B.C.: By-laws to raise money for the construction of a new hospital will shortly be submitted to the ratepayers by both the city and district councils. The hospital, it is estimated, will cost \$15,000, towards which the provincial government will contribute \$5,000. It has been agreed that the district shall contribute \$6,000 and the city \$4,000, the hospital being more largely used by residents of the district.

Raises a Mile of Coppers

Orangeville, Ont.: The drive for a mile of coppers, a unique and novel plan of raising money, was successfully conducted at Orangeville on June 6th by Lord Dufferin Chapter, I.O.D.E. Broadway, the wide main street of the town, gaily decorated with flags, was a busy scene. The grand total of \$645 was realized, or \$11.40 above the objective.

Local bankers toiled until late in the evening, counting the money, which included 25,000 coppers.

Would Erect Convalescent Home

Toronto: The Hospital for Sick Children will add a storey to their new wing on College street and erect a convalescent home outside the city limits, and will raise \$100,000 for these purposes, if the city and the province will each contribute a like sum. H. H. Williams, Chairman, and Irving E. Robertson, of the Hospital Board, informed the Board of Control. The request for the \$100,000 grant was referred to the Medical Officer of Health and the Finance Commissioner for a report.

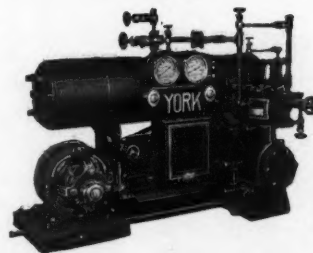
New Laundry for St. Michael's

Toronto: A new laundry is to be installed in the new wing of St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, which is now under construction. The equipment will consist of three washers, two extractors, one 120-inch flat work mangle, and 74-inch handkerchief mangle, a sectional dry room, drying tumbler, finishing machines, electric motors, etc.

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Hospital Contract is Awarded

Tillsonburg, Ont.: The contract for the new Soldiers' Memorial Hospital was awarded recently to Schultz Bros., of Brantford, who recently completed the new hospital at Simcoe. Their tender was \$43,195, and lowest among several submitted. Work is now under way and it is expected to be completed in about five months. The hospital was made possible to the town by the will of the late John Smith, former Mayor, who left his home on Rolph Street, together with the income from \$100,000 for running expenses. The generous offer was accepted two years ago by the Council and has finally led to the awarding of the contract. The original residence has been sold, and the Fergusson home, containing more property, purchased for the site. The hospital will contain 22 beds, and to date over \$22,000 has been donated from the James H. Wilson Chapter, I.O.D.E.



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Universities Get Generous Grants

Following the meeting of the Canadian National Committee for Mental Hygiene in Montreal on June 19th, it was announced that the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial had granted the sum of \$100,000 to McGill University and the University of Toronto for the establishment of a nursery school of the laboratory type.

New Sanatorium Opened

Robertson, Alta.—The Tuberculosis Veterans' Association on June 3rd opened their Central Alberta Sanatorium at Robertson, Alta., near Calgary, and dedicated it to the memory of their comrades who have passed away. Lieut.-Governor Brett was among those who delivered addresses at the dedication service. Max B. Palmer, formerly a well known student and rugby player at the University of Alberta, which he attended upon returning from overseas, is president of the Tuberculosis Veterans' Association.

Hospital Grounds to be Beautified

Kingston, Ont.—The work of beautifying the grounds at Mowat Hospital will be of a general character, it was disclosed at a meeting of the Kingston Health Association, and an expert has offered his services at any time. The shrubs and trees in the front will likely be removed and the field sloping up to the nurses' home levelled and made into a playground. Vistas may be opened up through the trees by cutting avenues through in several places.

It was the decision of the Health Association to link up with it an auxiliary or guild, and a report on this question will be brought in at the next meeting by Mr. P. DuMoulin and Mr. H. C. Nickle.

Mr. J. M. Campbell will make an inspection of the heating plant and the proposed extension of the hot water and heating to the nurses' home through the main plant.

Resigns After 24 Years Service

St. Stephen, N.B.: The resignation of Miss Arthurette Branscombe, superintendent of the Chapman Memorial Hospital, was presented in person at a meeting of the Executive of the Hospital.

The resignation came as a distinct shock to the directors who know of her ability and tireless energy in the hospital's cause as well as her exceptional success as superintendent. In presenting her written resignation, which she asked should take effect on September 1st or sooner if her successor could be secured before that date. Miss Branscombe said that she was taking this step only after serious consideration. She spoke with feeling of the pleasant associations in her work, of the kindnesses and assistance received from all sides, and said that she had no definite reason for leaving except that after nearly twenty-four years of continuous hospital service she felt a change was necessary.

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Memory of Famous Doctors Osler, Johnston and McCrea.*

In honor and recognition of the lives and work of three world famous doctors, who during some period of their career were attached to the Montreal General Hospital, three memorial tablets, erected by their confreres, were unveiled and dedicated in the hospital at a service attended by a large representation from the medical profession of the city and the Faculty of Medicine of McGill University.

The lives of Sir William Osler, Dr. Wyatt Galt Johnston, and Col. John McCrea, M.D., were sketched, and the place they held in the hospital, the profession and the hearts of their friends and associates was explained by three of their most intimate friends in Montreal, Dr. E. J. Shepherd, Dr. R. F. Ruttan, and Dr. C. F. Martin, Dean of the Medical Faculty of the University. The dedication service was performed by Dean Carlisle.

Col. Herbert Molson, President of the Board of Governors of the Montreal General Hospital, spoke of the value of service such as these men had rendered to the institution. Loyalty, devotion to their work is everything in a great institution like the Montreal General Hospital and I would like to express on behalf of the Board our appreciation of what our medical staff are doing and have done."

Dr. Shepherd, in giving a few reminiscences of the man, Osler, whom he knew, admired and loved, mentioned the fact that material for some of his greatest literary and scientific work had been obtained from the wards of the General Hospital. He spoke of Osler's love for young doctors, who like all others, almost worshipped him; his sense of humor and his deep human sympathy for mankind.

Bedside Medicine.

The practice of bedside medicine had been first introduced into the United States by Sir William Osler, said Dr. Shepherd, after it had been used at the Montreal General for many years and learned by him under Professor Howard and Dr. George Ross, his clinical instructors.

"It is a splendid tradition for a hospital to have had such a man in its service," declared Dr. Shepherd in closing. "I hope his example and conduct will be followed by his successors in the hospital."

Dr. Ruttan told of the death of Dr. Wyatt Johnston from blood poisoning, contracted in the pathological department of the Montreal General Hospital in discharging his duties. He mentioned his connection with the Medical Faculty of McGill, where he had been one of the most stimulating teachers. He had studied in London, Paris, Berlin, and Munich, specializing in bacteriological and pathological subjects, and simplifying old methods.

During his stay in Montreal he had become a recognized authority on public health and was for some time attached to the City Department as a health officer. He had done much for his country also in the study of cattle disease in Pictou.

Because of the depth of his scientific research and his sterling personal qualities, he was a valued witness in Canada and the United States.

As Col. McCrea combined the facile pen of Osler with the scientific spirit of Johnston, Dr. Martin declared that he thought it fitting that the name of McCrea should be associated with those other two. He referred to his work at McGill, to the fact that he left his work at the hospital to serve in the British Army in South Africa, returning later to take up his duties once more, and to his great service in the world war. As he had not been a man that would suffer any indulgences, take any of those privileges which his rank entitled him to, and because of his indifference to himself, he exposed his life in many ways, which ultimately ended his career. Only just before he died, he had been appointed as a consulting physician to the 4th British Army.

"Not only because of his literary ability do we revere him," declared Dr. Martin in conclusion, "nor because of his scientific attainments alone, but also because he was able to gather about him a number of friends, such as few men of his comparatively young years were able to do."

With a prayer for the repose of the souls of all the glorious dead, Dean Carlisle pulled the veiling from the tablets, and every member of the assembly stood with bowed head.

Dr. Osler gained world notoriety through a statement he was reported to have made at a banquet favoring the chloroforming of all persons on reaching the age of 65. He emphatically denied having made this statement. But the controversy was played up in the world press for months.

Dr. McCrea to most people is beloved as the author of "In Flanders Fields."

Plan Hospital for Feeble Minded

Beauport, Que.—Negotiations have now been opened between the Provincial Government and the Sisters of Charity, Grey Nuns, who are in charge of the Beauport Asylum, for the construction of a large hospital a few miles east of this city for the handling of feeble minded and mentally deficient children.

Accommodation for about seven hundred children of that class is said to be needed to meet the requirements and the institution will be operated for the account of the province as an ordinary asylum.

At present some of the feeble minded children are being looked after at Baie St. Paul by the Franciscan Nuns, but more accommodation is required, it is declared.

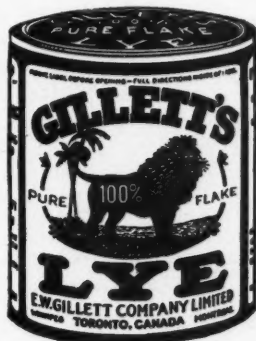
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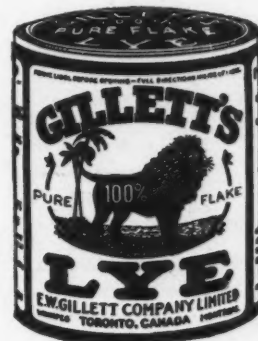
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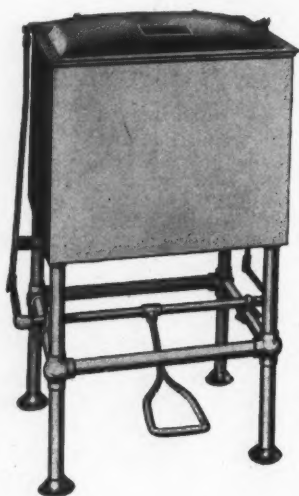
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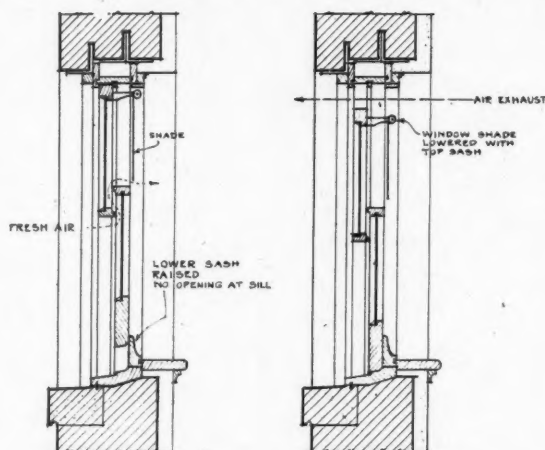
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Graduations

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Galt, Ont.

Graduation Day for eleven nurses at the Galt General Hospital was observed under most auspicious circumstances on the beautiful lawn in front of the hospital and in the presence of a large assemblage of friends of members of the class and citizens. The graduates are: Miss Isabel Robertson, Stratford; Miss Katherine H. Grierson, Meaford; Miss Daisy B. Hall, Ayr; Miss Leora Rose, Meaford; Miss Velma C. Meadows, Embro; Miss Florentine Eby, Floradale; Miss Lena H. Pettigrew, Bright; Miss Devia Flood, Stratford; Miss Lily A. Alexander, Eden Grove; Miss Anna Lang, Hespeler, and Miss L. Kross, Ayr. The principal speaker of the afternoon was the Hon. Lincoln Goldie, Provincial Secretary.

Ottawa.

The 1925 graduation class of the Ottawa General Hospital, composed of twenty-four young women, includes: Rev. Sister Alice de Marie, Ottawa; Miss Bernadette Brennan, Ottawa; Miss Irene Lapointe, Fournier, Ont.; Miss Lilian Tobin, Ottawa; Miss Gladys French, Renfrew, Ont.; Miss Kathleen Burns, Pembroke, Ont.; Miss Rose Marsan, Ottawa; Miss Mildred French, Ottawa; Miss Yvonne Letellier, Ottawa; Miss Alice Enright, Ottawa; Miss Veronica St. Armand, Kemptville, Ont.; Miss Mary Henderson, Maniwaki, Que.; Miss Lucia Dupuis, Ottawa; Miss Gabrielle Vincent, Ottawa; Miss Parmelia Dumas, McKee, Que.; Miss Margaret Flynn, Hull, Que.; Miss Carmel Valin, Galetta, Ont.; Miss Tatta Collins, Vernon River, P.E.I.; Miss Juliette Couillard, Ottawa; Miss Alice Cote, Ottawa; Miss Marjorie Timmins, Carleton Place, Ont.; Miss Cecile Chatelain, L'Original, Ont.; Miss Archange Labelle, Ottawa; Miss Blanche Larochelle, Ottawa.

Toronto.

Great masses of roses and many Union Jacks added a gala note to the auditorium of the Toronto Western Hospital when twenty-seven members of the graduating class received their diplomas and class pins. The members of the graduating class were: Gertrude Lois Banting, Cookstown; Charlotte A. Barton, Beeton; Mabel Alice Bennett, Arthur; Helen Jean Crew, Scarboro'; Gladys M. Delaney; Evelyn M. Fisher; Doris Sydney Graham, Sutton West; Gladys Evelyn Hall; Helen Margaret Hatton, Barrie; Laura Edna Kemp; Daisy A. Marie McCleary, Sheridan; Margaret G. McCullough, Cookstown; Marjorie C. Middleboro, Owen Sound; Lena D. Murray, Tuxford, Sask.; Mabel Christina Rombough, Finch; Gertrude Isabel Rowntree, Weston; Gwendolyn May Sanders; Gladys M. Sharpe; E. Lillian Sparrow; Olive Irene Speers, Caledon; A. Leota Steacy, Seeley's Bay; Bessie A. Steacy, Seeley's Bay; Claire Taylor; Gladys Elizabeth Taylor, Parry Sound; Jean Gray Tier, Islington; Alida Margaret Thompson, West Shefford, Quebec; Winnifred M. Walker, Regina, Sask.

Chatham, Ont.

Medals and diplomas were presented to eleven graduating nurses of the Public General Hospital, Chatham, during interesting exercises held in the Park Street Methodist Church. The graduates are: Misses Marjorie J. Aiken, O. Ruth Coatsworth, Edith P. Smyth, Edith B. Campbell, Olive L. Everitt, L. Blanche White, Alla Grace McNutt, Beulah E. Warner, Vera P. Gleeson, Olive M. Scane and Marion L. Skinner. A successful reception and dance, following the graduation exercises, was held in Gray's Convention Hall.

Guelph, Ont.

Graduation Day for the nurses at the Guelph General Hospital was observed under most auspicious circumstances on the spacious lawn of the Nurses' Home, suitably decorated for the occasion. The successful graduating nurses were: Lillian Jean McRae, London; Gladys Christina Fasken, Elora; Jessie Laurine Rogers, Toronto; Katharine Jean McDonald, Teeswater; Henrietta Ross Barron, Guelph; Beatrice MacDonald, Moffatt, who received the prize for the highest standard of efficiency; Susan May Scales, Warton; Mary Neola Paddison, Barrie; Mabel Hill, Barrie; Maude Mylinde Prong, Hespeler.

Hamilton.

His Lordship Bishop McNally spoke at the annual graduation of St. Joseph's Hospital, when nineteen young ladies, who have completed their training, received their diplomas. The following were members of the class: Misses Edith M. Digby, Hamilton; Janet M. McGowan, Blyth; Rose M. Schmalz, Kitchener; Florence M. Nicholson, Hamilton; Margaret E. Brick, Formosa; Frances C. Young, Aldershot; Grace J. Link, Hamilton; Irene Lonergan, Peterboro; Clara C. Weishar, Mildmay; Cecile M. Dietrich, Greenock; Agnes S. Clancey, Walkerton; Teresa Rafferty, Waterloo; Regina I. Nagle, Waterloo; Veronica L. Guay, Hamilton; Brigid H. Canavan, St. Catharines; Jeanette V. Eaglesham, Dunville; Rosalie C. Horan, Albion; Ferdian Duggan, Stratford.

Winnipeg.

The largest nurses' graduating class ever held in Canada had its graduation exercises in the Central Congregational Church, when 95 students of the Winnipeg General Hospital received their diplomas and graduation pins. The graduates included: Allen, Grace I.; Archibald, Edith; Armstrong, Hilda; Arnold, Bertha; Arnold, Lillian; Bastin, Dorothea; Baxter, Sarah; Bennett, Bessie; Berry, Frances; Blondal, Laura; Brown, Agnes B.; Brown, Anna; Brown, Grace H.; Briggs, Constance; Boyd, J. P.; Caton, Florence M.; Cameron, Margaret; Cameron, Pearl; Campbell, Rhoda M.; Cooks, E. H.; Cryer, J. S.; Chalmers, Ruth; Day, Edna M.; DeBrincat, J. Muscat; Denton, D. L.; Dickie, Emily J.; Dodds, Jessie M.; Dowe, Ellen; Elding, Marion; Ellis, Myrtle; Farmer, Brenda G.; Fleming, Isobel; Freeman, Margaret; Fowle, Bathia; Gardiner, M. J.; Gillies, Theodore J.; Gowanlock, M. S.; Graham, Myrtle I.; Hamilton, Marie A.; Hawkins, Jean; Hamilton, Wandah; Halloway, Helen C.; Hunter, C. J.; Irvine, Hilda M. Johnson, Ingaborg; Jones, Alma B.; Kennedy, Allene; Knapp, Margaret; King, Melrose; Keswick, Opal G.; Larmer, M. E.; Langford, Isabel; Lethbridge, Constance; Lindsay, Frances; Lynch, Catherine (best executive); Lovell, M. Mabel; McInnis, Marian M.; MacKinnon, S. Gertrude; McIntyre, Kathleen M.; McIntyre, Ruth; McKellar, Kate R.; McNeill, Anna; Maybee, Mildred E.; Mallory, Evelyn (scholarship); Mellon, Mignon; Monk, Ruth O.; O'Grady, N. H. deC.; O'Grady, A. F. deC. (best practical); Olsen, Edith; Palsson, Thora A.; Parsons, G. E.; Peterson, Victoria I.; Pease, Barbara; Pidcock, Dorothy; Pratt, Grace M.; Purvis, Annie; Ram, Carrie A.; Robinson, Vera (general proficiency); Sample, Alice; Sawyer, Alice Vera; Sinclair, Minnie; Slade, Grace; Slater, Effie; Taylor, Enzie; Thompson, Emily; Thompson, Evelyn; Thompson, Ida; Turner, Pearl V.; Vance, Hilda G.; Ward, Violet C.; Ward, Mary A.; Watson, Emily; Wilcox, Hazel; Wales, Edythe; Wright, Eileen.



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Farish Memorial Room.

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Miss Mary A. Watson, the Superintendent, also furnished a room.

Welsh Society Presents Books to Sanatorium

Formal presentation of some 840 books, the nucleus of what should become a splendid library, was made by the Saskatoon Welsh Society to the Saskatoon Tuberculosis Sanatorium on June 1st.

The presentation was made in a room at the hospital allotted to the library, with T. Price Thomas, President of the Society, in the chair. Despite the inclement weather, a good number of members were present. The Saskatoon Male Chorus, under E. R. Jenkins, gave Welsh songs among their numbers.

Mr. Thomas remarked that it was only on April 13 last that the society had decided to make the gift, and credit was due to the committee under Mrs. Ben Lewis, who brought the books together in such a short space of time. Beside the books a fund of cash had been collected and the society would concentrate each year on improving and enlarging the library. The speaker formally presented the books to the sanatorium and G. H. Roberts, Secretary of the institution, declared that it would be impossible to tell how much the patients would appreciate the books. Four hundred other volumes had been received from Qu'Appelle Sanatorium, where there were three libraries. There was one main library of 4,000 volumes in the auditorium there, another of 650 books donated by the people of Saskatoon, and a juvenile library in the children's pavilion.

Mr. Roberts thanked the society for the books, and the chorus for entertaining.

As a member of the directorate of the Anti-Tuberculosis League, J. O. Hettle also thanked the society. The board always appreciated gifts and any interest the public might take in the work, he said. He intended to report the gift at the next meeting of the board on June 10.

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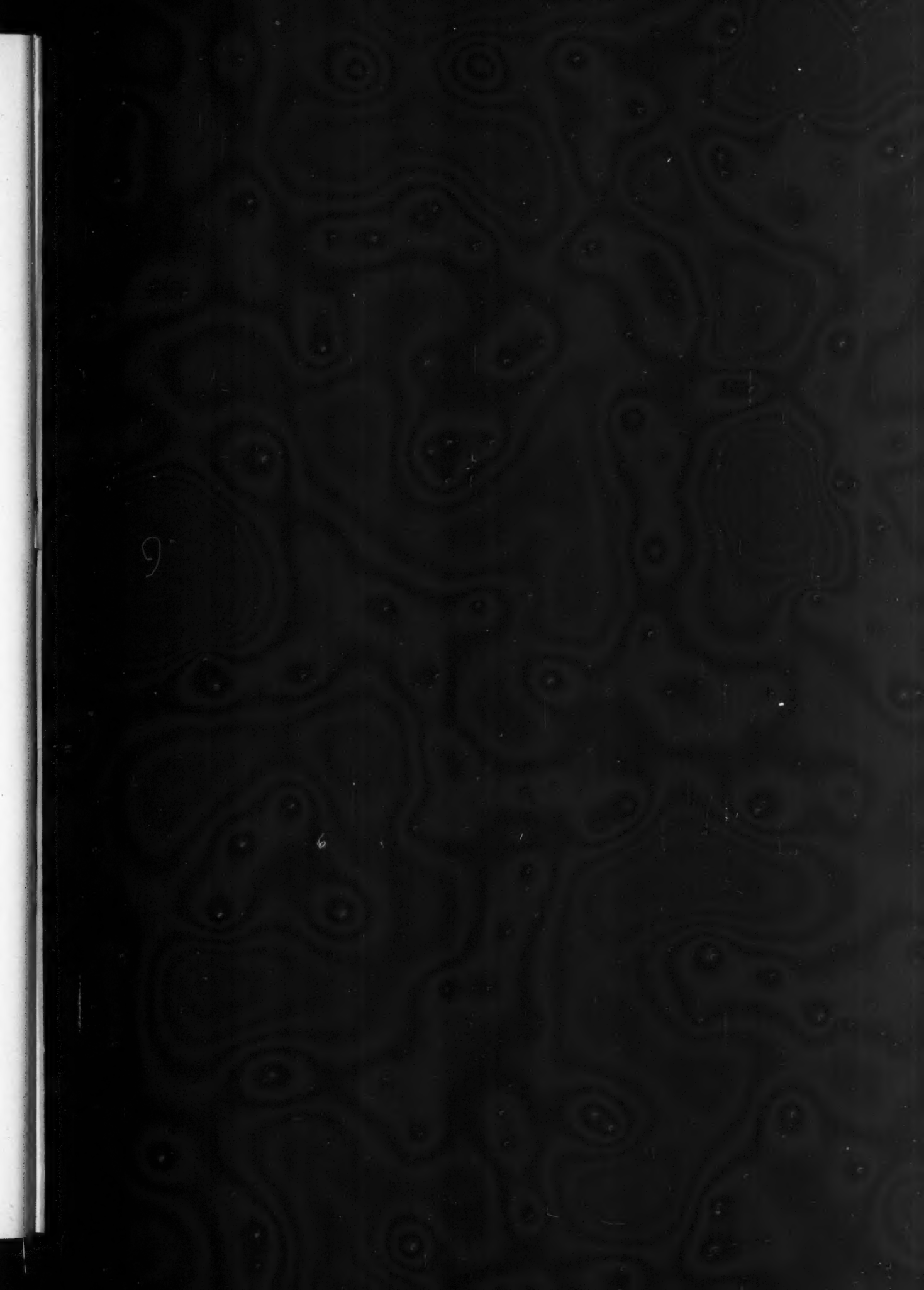
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